

30. (Twice Amended) A portable computer comprising:

62 a casing for housing other components of the portable computer, the casing being shaped to facilitate a user holding the portable computer as a writing stylus; and

a display screen;

wherein said casing includes a radiused triangular cross-section along a substantial portion of its length and a flattened section incorporating the display screen, and an angular shaping between a forward holding area adapted to rest in the user's fingers and rearward flattened area holding the display screen the shaping being such as to provide a natural viewing angle of the incorporated display screen while the casing is held as a writing stylus.

**REMARKS**

Reconsideration and allowance of this application are respectfully requested. Currently, claims 1-7, 9-31 and 77-79 are pending in this application.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the claims by the current Amendment. The attached is captioned "**Version With Markings to Show Changes Made.**"

**Claim Objections and Allowable Subject Matter:**

Claims 30 and 31 were objected to because "The word '**comprising**' is missing after '**a portable computer**' in claim 30." By this Amendment, claim 30 has been amended by inserting the word "comprising" after "A portable